

53rd ANNUAL SOUTHERN HARDWOOD FOREST RESEARCH GROUP MEETING
Stoneville, Mississippi
February 13, 2007

PROGRAM

- 7:30 – 8:00 a.m. Registration – Coffee and Donuts
- 8:00 – 8:15 a.m. Welcome and Introductions – Mr. Norman Davis, Chairman, SHFRG
- THEME: New Products in Forestry: Biomass and Bioenergy**
- 8:15 – 8:45 a.m. Dr. Timothy G. Rials, Professor and Director, Forest Products Center, The University of Tennessee, Knoxville, TN – “Wood Products in Transition: The Role of Research & Development”
- 8:45 – 9:15 a.m. Ms. Lisa Stocker, Director of Public Affairs, Potlatch Corporation, Warren, AR – "Integrated Agricultural and Forest Products Biorefinery Proposal at Cypress Bend"
- 9:15 – 9:30 a.m. **Questions and Answers**
- 9:30 – 10:00 a.m. **BREAK**
- 10:00 – 10:30 a.m. Dr. Emile Gardiner, CBHR – “An Overview of Current Research on Bottomland Hardwood Regeneration”
- 10:30 – 11:00 a.m. Dr. Susie Adams, CBHR – “Hurricane Katrina effects on fishes of the Pascagoula River drainage, Mississippi”
- 11:00 – 11:30 a.m. Dr. Diane De Steven, CBHR – “Restoring depressional wetlands in the Southeastern Coastal Plain”
- 11:30 – 12:00 p.m. Dr. Brian Lockhart, CBHR – “A stand development approach to oak afforestation in the Lower Mississippi Alluvial Valley”
- 12:00 – 1:00 p.m. **Lunch – On-Site**
- 1:10 – 1:15 p.m. Mr. Chip Morgan, Delta Council – “Status of Congressional Support for Hardwood Research”
- 1:15 – 1:30 p.m. Dr. Ted Leininger, CBHR – “Things to Know About the Center for Bottomland Hardwoods Research”
- 1:30 – 1:45 p.m. Dr. Greg Ruark, Southern Research Station – “Outlook for Hardwood Research at Stoneville”
- 1:45 p.m. **ADJOURN**
- 2:15 p.m. Steering Committee Business Meeting